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1. In late February the 86 Division, 29 Army moved from the Ningte (119-33, 26-39) area to the Chinchiang (118-34, 24-54) area. They had been attempting to suppress activities of Nationalist guerrillas and members of the Bi Sword Party (Ta Tao Hui 大刀會) in the Ningte area, where several hundred anti-Communists were killed. The 86 Division was replaced in Ningte by local troops of the East Fukien Military Sub-District.

2. In mid-March Fukien authorities issued the following orders:

- a. After 6 p.m. no ships will be allowed to pass Communist observation posts in Fukien without a permit from Fukien authorities.
- b. The second evacuation of civilian population and important government supplies from Foochow, Amoy, and Chinchiang will be completed as soon as possible. The evacuation will be made to points at least ten miles inland.*
- c. The School of Science and Engineering of Amoy University is to be moved as soon as possible to Lungyen (117-02, 25-07).

On 22 March Communist authorities in Fukien were commandeering large amounts of grain. The price of rice in Fukien has been rising steadily and a picul of rice now costs JKP 200,000.

4. In mid-March anti-aircraft guns were disposed in the Swatow area as follows:

- a. Five on the outskirts of Swatow, including two in Huawu (華壩) village, two in Chinsha (金沙), and one in the old Swatow railroad station area.
- b. Seven in Swatow city proper, on roofs of the Nansheng (南生) Company, the Yungp'ing (永平) Restaurant, Yungant'ang (永安堂), and customs buildings.

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5. There are 41 patrol boats in the Communist Swatow Patrol Squadron.
6. Between January and mid-March Communist authorities in Kwangtung have employed 30,000 civilian laborers in addition to Communist troops in the construction of coastal highways in the following hsien: Yangchiang (111-53, 21-52), Yanchun (111-42, 22-08), T'aishan (112-48, 22-15), K'aip'ing (112-31, 22-31), Enp'ing (112-19, 22-12), Hsinhui (113-06, 22-34), Haoshan (112-49, 22-38), Kaoming (112-43, 22-53), and Ch'ihoh'i (112-59, 21-59). By 15 March work was completed on the main highways connecting these hsien.
7. On 15 March work was completed on the following roads on the coast of central Kwangtung: Shihchu (111-47, 21-43) to Shuangyu (111-37, 21-39), Shihchingpu (112-27, 21-51) to Takoushu (112-07, 21-54), Yaihsi (崖西) highway from Yaimen (113- , 22-) to Tank'ang (潭康), and Yaitung (崖東) highway from Changsha (112-42, 22-22) to Nafu (那伏).

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* ^{25X1A} Comment. The evacuation of schools and hospitals from the Fukien coastal area was reported in [REDACTED]

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